#### Dear Prospective Ribber;

Thank you for your interest in competing in our annual Miami-Dade Parks & Recreation RibFest, November 3-5, 2006. The event is conducted at our Homestead Air Reserve Park on Moody Drive (268<sup>th</sup> Street). Preparation is well underway, so we are looking forward to another great RibFest. We have had a tremendous response from the community regarding last year's event and are excited about the prospects for this year. Once again, we are limiting the total number of Ribbers to twelve.

If you are interested in participating in this year's event, please return your completed application with your \$600.00 deposit. Upon approval of your application, we will forward your 2006 Ribbers packet. Each Application must include the completed Application form, W-9 form and the deposit of \$600, made payable to Miami Dade Parks & Recreation.

Any remaining balance shall be due on or before August 30, 2005.

Upon acceptance of your paid application, you will receive further promotional information and be contacted by our Marketing department. A Ribbers meeting will be scheduled on site. Ribbers will enter from 127<sup>th</sup> Avenue. The Event Manager will determine sites.

Competition will be great in the five categories with \$15,000 in prize money awarded. Competitors will be introduced during the event and the winners will be announced Sunday evening. Checks will be provided on Monday. Arrangements will be made to deliver your winnings, in the event you are no longer in town.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Region 5 office at 305-233-3150.

Looking forward to another winning event.

Alan Weitzel Region 5 Manager



## **Regulations For Ribbers**

The Miami-Dade Park and Recreation's Ribfest 2006 will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 3, 4 and 5, 2006. Daily hours will be from 11 to 9:00pm on Friday, 11am to 9:00pm Saturday and 11am to 6pm on Sunday. The festival is conducted at the Miami-Dade County Homestead Air Reserve Park. The park is located on Moody Drive (SW 268 Street and 122 Avenue). *Please note: festival hours are subject to change*.

#### Rules:

- 1. First come first served, based upon the date of receipt of the entry form and the approval of the show directors. The Event Manager will determine the site selection. All parts of the application must be complete in order to be considered for entry.
- 2. Miami-Dade County will not be responsible for theft, loss, damage or injury of any person or property.
- 3. Ribbers must clean up their area at the end of the festival. The Ribber must place all litter, packaging and oil in the appropriate receptacles. Failure to do so could result in charges.
- 4. Ribbers must provide their own tables, chairs, electrical cords, lighting, cooking equipment, displays and tents. These must be self-supporting with no nails or other damaging hardware in the trees or shrubs. Upon advance request, a 20x20 tent will be provided. Electrical Requirements will be included (up to 50 amps) at no additional charge. Please be sure to specify needs on the application.
- 5. Ribbers must provide a complete menu for approval by the show directors. Only approved items may be sold. No exceptions. Ribbers interested in selling additional items must receive prior authorization and pay the appropriate fee. Any menu items not approved will be confiscated at the expense of the Ribber, and may result in disqualification from competition. Ribbers shall comply with, all local and state regulations and, licensing requirements.
- 6. The park staff has the right and will execute that right to ask a Ribber to leave if not conforming to the park rules or for misrepresenting the nature of their exhibit. No refunds will be made under such circumstances.
- 7. Once reservations are made and space is assigned, no refunds will be made under any circumstances.
- 8. Cars, trucks and trailers must be out of the festival area before 30 minutes before opening, and may not re-enter the grounds until one hour after closing. Arrangements will be made regarding on-site parking and overnight camping. Under no circumstances are vehicles to be operated in the Mid-Way. Abandoned vehicles will be towed. There will be no exceptions.
- 9. Spaces are approximately 20X40 and will be assigned on or before the Ribbers meeting. Paid Ribbers can begin set up 7:00 pm, following final site determination. The show directors will authorize specific requests on an individual basis. Please identify any special consideration on your application.

I Have Read The Festival Rules and Agree To Abide By Them:

Signature:	
Print Name: _	Date:



### MIAMI-DADE PARKS RIBFEST 2006 RIBBER APPLICATION FORM

ENTRY:	ectea to the Region 3 offic	e: 303 233-3130 Fax: 303 233-0	007
( ) RIBBER	\$1200.00 (20X40 S	pace, Optional Tent 20x20,)	
( ) FOOD VENDOR ITEMS	\$To be determined		
COMPANY NAME:			
CONTACT PERSON:			
ADDRESS:			
CITY:	STATE:	ZIP:	
PHONE:	CELL:	FAX:	
EMAIL:	EIN:		
I Plan To Sell: (Please list all menu ite Ribfest fare will be included in your entry Enclose any sample menus with current pr	fee. If approved, Fried items, of		
Exhibit Description: (Please include	sample pictures if applicable of	you display. List any special needs.)	
Electrical Requirements: (up to 5	0 AMP included)		

Mail Completed Application and W-9 Form to:
Larry and Penny Thompson Park
ATTENTION: Alan Weitzel, Region 5 Manager
12451 SW 184 Street
Miami, Florida 33177
(Make check payable to: Miami Dade Parks & Recreation)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

#### **Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification**

Give form to the requester. Do NOT send to the IRS.

Name (If a joint account or you changed your name, see Specific Instructions on page 2.)  Business name, if different from above. (See Specific Instructions on page 2.)  Check appropriate box: Individual/Sole proprietor Corporation Partnership Other Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)  City, state, and ZIP code  Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)  Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, if you are a resident alien OR a sole proprietor, see the instructions on page 2.  For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to get a TIN on page 2.  Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 2 for guidelines on whose number to enter.					
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#### Paint III Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- 1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. (See the instructions on page 2.)

Sign Here Signature ▶ Date ▶

Purpose of form. A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must get your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9, if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to give your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- 1. Certify the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- 2. Certify you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are an exempt payee.

If you are a foreign person, IRS prefers you use a Form W-8 (certificate of foreign status). After December 31, 2000, foreign persons must use an appropriate Form

Note: If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must withhold and pay to the IRS 31% of such payments under certain conditions. This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding

If you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return, payments you receive will not be subject to backup withholding. Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

- 1. You do not furnish your TIN to the requester, or
- 2. You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part III instructions on page 2 for details), or
- 3. The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN, or
- 4. The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

5. You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 3 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See the Part II instructions and the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9.

#### **Penalties**

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for falsifying information. Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of Federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

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### **Specific Instructions**

Name. If you are an individual, you must generally enter the name shown on your social security card. However, if you have changed your last name, for instance, due to marriage, without informing the Social Security Administration of the name change, enter your first name, the last name shown on your social security card, and your new last name.

If the account is in joint names, list first and then circle the name of the person or entity whose number you enter in Part I of the form.

**Sole proprietor.** You must enter your **individual** name as shown on your social security card. You may enter your business, trade, or "doing business as" name on the **business name** line.

Other entities. Enter your business name as shown on required Federal tax documents. This name should match the name shown on the charter or other legal document creating the entity. You may enter any business, trade, or "doing business as" name on the business name line.

### Part I—Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

You must enter your TIN in the appropriate box. If you are a resident alien and you do not have and are not eligible to get an SSN, your TIN is your IRS individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN). Enter it in the social security number box. If you do not have an ITIN, see **How to get a TIN** below.

If you are a sole proprietor and you have an EIN, you may enter either your SSN or EIN. However, using your EIN may result in unnecessary notices to the requester.

**Note:** See the chart on this page for further clarification of name and TIN combinations.

How to get a TIN. If you do not have a TIN, apply for one immediately. To apply for an SSN, get Form SS-5, Application for a Social Security Card, from your local Social Security Administration office. Get Form W-7, Application for IRS Individual Taxpayer Identification Number, to apply for an ITIN or Form SS-4, Application for Employer Identification Number, to apply for an EIN. You can get Forms W-7 and SS-4 from the IRS by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM (1-800-829-3676) or from the IRS's Internet Web Site at www.irs.gov.

If you do not have a TIN, write "Applied For" in the space for the TIN, sign and date the form, and give it to the requester. For interest and dividend payments, and certain payments made with respect to readily tradable instruments, generally you will have 60 days to get a TIN and give it to the requester. Other payments are subject to backup withholding.

**Note:** Writing "Applied For" means that you have already applied for a TIN **OR** that you intend to apply for one soon.

### Part II—For Payees Exempt From Backup Withholding

Individuals (including sole proprietors) are **not** exempt from backup withholding. Corporations are exempt from backup withholding for certain payments, such as interest and dividends. For more information on exempt payees, see the separate Instructions for the Requester of Form W-9.

If you are exempt from backup withholding, you should still complete this form to avoid possible erroneous backup withholding. Enter your correct TIN in Part I, write "Exempt" in Part II, and sign and date the form.

If you are a nonresident alien or a foreign entity not subject to backup withholding, give the requester a completed Form W-8 (certification of foreign status).

#### Part III—Certification

For a joint account, only the person whose TIN is shown in Part I should sign (when required).

- 1. Interest, dividend, and barter exchange accounts opened before 1984 and broker accounts considered active during 1983. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.
- 2. Interest, dividend, broker, and barter exchange accounts opened after 1983 and broker accounts considered inactive during 1983. You must sign the certification or backup withholding will apply. If you are subject to backup withholding and you are merely providing your correct TIN to the requester, you must cross out item 2 in the certification before signing the form.
- **3. Real estate transactions.** You must sign the certification. You may cross out item **2** of the certification.
- 4. Other payments. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification unless you have been notified that you have previously given an incorrect TIN. "Other payments" include payments made in the course of the requester's trade or business for rents, royalties, goods (other than bills for merchandise), medical and health care services (including payments to corporations), payments to a nonemployee for services, payments to certain fishing boat crew members and fishermen, and gross proceeds paid to attorneys (including payments to corporations).
- 5. Mortgage interest paid by you, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, qualified state tuition program payments, IRA or MSA contributions or distributions, and pension distributions. You must give your correct TIN, but you do not have to sign the certification.

#### **Privacy Act Notice**

Section 6109 of the Internal Revenue Code requires you to give your correct TIN to

persons who must file information returns with the IRS to report interest, dividends, and certain other income paid to you, mortgage interest you paid, the acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA or MSA. The IRS uses the numbers for identification purposes and to help verify the accuracy of your tax return. The IRS may also provide this information to the Department of Justice for civil and criminal litigation, and to cities, states, and the District of Columbia to carry out their tax laws.

You must provide your TIN whether or not you are required to file a tax return. Payers must generally withhold 31% of taxable interest, dividend, and certain other payments to a payee who does not give a TIN to a payer. Certain penalties may also apply.

# What Name and Number To Give the Requester

For	this type of account:	Give name and SSN of:
1.	Individual	The individual
2.	Two or more individuals (joint account)	The actual owner of the account or, if combined funds, the first individual on the account <sup>1</sup>
3.	Custodian account of a minor (Uniform Gift to Minors Act)	The minor <sup>2</sup>
4.	The usual     revocable savings     trust (grantor is     also trustee)	The grantor-trustee <sup>1</sup>
	b. So-called trust account that is not a legal or valid trust under state law	The actual owner <sup>1</sup>
5.	Sole proprietorship	The owner <sup>3</sup>
For	this type of account:	Give name and EIN of:
6.	Sole proprietorship	The owner <sup>3</sup>
7.	A valid trust, estate, or pension trust	Legal entity <sup>4</sup>
8.	Corporate	The corporation
9.	Association, club, religious, charitable, educational, or other tax-exempt organization	The organization
10.	Partnership	The partnership
11.	A broker or registered nominee	The broker or nominee
12.	Account with the Department of Agriculture in the name of a public entity (such as a state or local government, school district, or prison) that receives agricultural	The public entity

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> List first and circle the name of the person whose number you furnish. If only one person on a joint account has an SSN, that person's number must be furnished.

**Note:** If no name is circled when more than one name is listed, the number will be considered to be that of the first name listed.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Circle the minor's name and furnish the minor's SSN.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> You must show your individual name, but you may also enter your business or "doing business as" name. You may use either your SSN or EIN (if you have one).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> List first and circle the name of the legal trust, estate, or pension trust. (Do not furnish the TIN of the personal representative or trustee unless the legal entity itself is not designated in the account title.)